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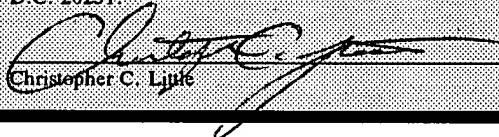
Applicant: Brewer et al.)
Serial No.: 08/484,337) Application Processing
Division
Filed: June 7, 1995)
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For Obtaining Same)

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PETITION TO CORRECT FIGURE NUMBERING
AND GRANT ORIGINAL FILING DATE

Dear Sir:

This petition is in response to a Notice of Incomplete Application mailed on August 2, 1995 (the "Notice"). A copy of the Notice is enclosed. The Notice indicates that the application filed on June 7, 1995, serial number 08/484,337 ("the '337 application"), was missing Figure 21. In reality, no figures were missing from the application. Figure 21 was included but the label for it was mistakenly obscured. Applicants, therefore hereby petition the Commissioner to grant a filing date of June 7, 1995. Because the application was complete as filed on that date, the

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applicants also petition the Commissioner to refund the petition fee.

Remarks

In the '337 application originally sent on June 7, 1995, Figure 20 comprised a vertically oriented table on a single page. Figure 21, which was mistakenly not labelled legibly, included a different, vertically oriented table on the next three pages. Figure 22 was horizontally oriented and comprised only one page.

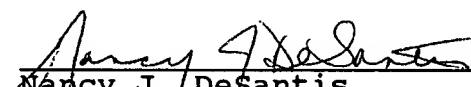
Enclosed are clearly labelled substitute pages for Figure 21. Applicant requests that these substitute pages replace the previously unlabelled three pages between Figures 20 and 22 in the original '337 application. With the exception of the Figure numbers, the substance of the substitute pages has not been changed from the original application submitted on June 7, 1995. The '337 application was therefore complete when originally filed, and Applicant thus requests that it be granted a filing date of June 7, 1995.

Enclosed is a check for \$ 130.00 to cover the petition fee as required by 37 CFR 1.17(h). However, given that the application was complete upon filing and only contained figure numbering errors, Applicant hereby requests a refund of the petition fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this petition or credit any overpayment or refund to Deposit Account No. 18-2078.

Conclusion

The application filed June 7, 1995 was complete. For that reason, Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to grant the filing date of June 7, 1995 and to refund the enclosed petition fee.

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